

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 13-24 without prejudice or disclaimer, and add new claims 25-35 as shown below in the detailed listing of all claims which were, or are, in the application:

Claims 1-24 (Canceled)

25. (New) A peripheral display device for display of information associated with the use of a contactless portable object, comprising

at least one chip,

a means for receiving energy and said information, said receiving means comprising a flat coil which is not connected by ohmic contact to said portable object,

at least one energy storage means, and

a display means,

wherein an antenna of said portable object and the receiving means are capable of acting as the primary and secondary, respectively, of a transformer when said portable object receives energy and information from a reader of said portable object through electromagnetic coupling.

26. (New) The peripheral display device of claim 25, wherein said energy and information transmitted by the antenna of said portable object are generated by said portable object reader.

27. (New) The peripheral display device of claim 25, wherein said information transmitted by the antenna of said portable object is generated by the chip of said portable object.

28. (New) The peripheral display device of claim 25, wherein said information transmitted by the antenna of said portable object are generated by the chip of said portable object.

29. (New) The peripheral display device of claim 25, wherein said energy storage means is a capacitor.

30. (New) The peripheral display device of claim 25, wherein said display means is capable of generating a persistent display, such that information remains displayed on said display means for a predetermined period of time.

31. (New) The peripheral display device of claim 30, wherein the long-persistence display means is a bistable liquid crystal screen.

32. (New) The peripheral display device of claim 30, wherein the display means is provided with a long-persistence screen feature due to energy stored in said energy storage means.

33. (New) The peripheral display device of claim 25, wherein said device is integrated into said portable object, said flat coil being in the same plane as said antenna of said portable object.

34. (New) The peripheral display device of claim 25, wherein said device can be separated from said portable object.

35. (New) The peripheral display device of claim 25, wherein said device is capable of sending a response to said portable object reader by retromodulation, via said flat coil, coupled to the antenna of said portable object.